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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF REISSUE APPLICATION

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this reissue application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**
- Assignee's statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) establishing ownership of the patent is ^{unsigned}missing. 37 CFR 1.172 requires that all assignees consenting to the reissue application establish their ownership interest in the patent by filing in the reissue application a statement in accordance with 37 CFR 3.73(b).

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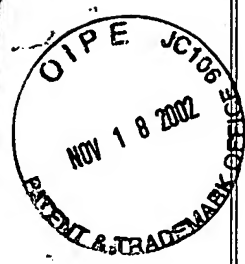
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In re Reissue Application of:)
U.S. Patent No. 6,036,226)
Inventors: Steven J. BROWN, et al.) Group Art Unit: 3619
Application No.: 10/086,920) Examiner: Unknown
Filed: March 1, 2002)
For: INFLATOR CAPABLE OF)
MODULATION AIR BAG)
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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Reissue Application dated April 17, 2002, Applicants submit herewith: (1) the required surcharge of \$130.00; (2) two executed Reissue Declarations Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.175; (3) executed Consent of Assignee, Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b), Offer to Surrender Original Patent and Grant of Power of Attorney document (2 pages); (4) Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) (2 pages) with Declaration in Support of Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) with Exhibits (12 pages); (5) the required 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) petition fee of \$130.00; and (6) a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Reissue Application.

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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response, and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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